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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30 Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Hot born Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 4 Old Jewry, E.O.

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Arrivals.

Dec. 2, Madura, North G. brig, 258, Steffens, Whampoz, Nov. 30, General. Siembsen & Co.

Departures.

Dec. 1, Phase, for Shanghai.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. INO-MORROW, Thursday, the 3rd inst. at 8 o'clock A.M., a Religious Service will be held at the Catholic Chapel of ST Francis Xavier, just opposite to St. Franors' Hospital, Spring Garden. T. RAIMONDI.

Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamer

"ERL KING." will be despatched for the above Port, at 4 P.M., Tomorrow, the 3rd inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

OTICE is hereby given that the Part- application at this office. nership hitherto existing between the undersigned Leonard Barnes and Ed-MUND JOHN BOYD in the trade or business of Farriers and Livery Stable Keepers, Harness Makers, Coach Builders and undertakers under the firm of BARNES, BOYD & COMPANY, was this day dissolved by mutual, consent, and in future the business will be carried on by the said Leonard Barnes on his separate account, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade to this date inclusive. Witness our hands this 30th day of November, A.D. 1868.

L. C. BARNES. Hongkong, November 30, 1868.

THE THE E. J. BOYD.

ESTATE OF DENT AND CO. FIRST DIVIDEND of Ten per cen-A tum upon the amount of all claims admitted by the Trustees, will be paid on the 1st January next.

On application to the undersigned, at the office of the Trustees, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with warrants signed by the Trustees which will be payable on presentation at the office of the Hono KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-

By order of the Trustees, E. WHEELEY. Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED. OFICE is hereby given that the Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be closed from the 5th to the 14th day of De cember (both days included), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be regis

A. NEWTON, Hongkong, November 28, 1868. de14

HONGKONG HOTEL MHIS HOTEL will be conducted under a will remain as follow :---

month. Dinners only, \$30 a month. One Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents. One called for the purpose, on the First day of Dinner, \$1.25

There is an excellent assortment of wines for sale at moderate prices. The Charges for Lodging will be very considerably reduced. Rooms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40,

or \$45, a month. Occasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day INHE Undersigned having PURCHASED for their Rooms with or without board. " There is an ample supply of Bathrooms, BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongand Gas is laid on throughout the house. Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED. JOTICE is liereby given that a GENE. quantities at short notice. RAL MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS of the HONGKONG HOTEL COM-PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Hotel, Queen's Road, Hongkong, CORN STAROH, BICARB. SODA, Sale- Kentledge. on TUESDAY, the 29th December, 1868, ratus and Cream TARTAR. at half-past Two P.M., to receive the Report and Accounts and elect Directors for hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

the ensuing year. At the conclusion of the above Meeting an Extraordinary Meeting will be held to consider the advisability of altering No. 33 of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders and errors of description whatsoever, to PLATES, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS of the Articles of Association. By Order of the Board of Directors,

'C. LANGDON DAVIÉS,

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, HE Half-yearly General MEETING of the Hongkong General Chamber the 3rd December, 1868, at 12 o'clock, OF COMMERCE will be held at CLUB CHAM- at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank DERS on MONDAY, the 7th December, at Buildings,— By order

J. W. WOOD, Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED

LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or I work done for the Hotel must be signed by the Secretary of the Company The Company will not undertake to pay for any Goods Supplied without such

By order of the Board of Directors. C. LANGDON DAVÍES, Secretary. Hongkong, November 27, 1868.



EALED TENDERS (in duplicate) marked outside "Tenders for Flour," will be received by the undersigned until Noon on Wednesday, the 9th December, 1868. from persons willing to contract for the supply of such quantities of American and Australian Flour, as may be required for the use of Her Majesty's Troops, in China and Japan; for the period from 1st April 1869 to 31st March 1870.

The Flour to be either extra superfine American in barrels of 196 lbs, each, or best seconds Australian in bags of 200 lbs each, and is to be guaranteed to keep sound for three months after delivery. The Tenders to state the price per barrel or bag; approved security will be required for the due fulfilment of the Con-

tract. Conditions of Contract may be seen and any further information obtained on REDMOND UNIACKE, Dep. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office Commissariat,

Hongkong, November 26, 1868.

T'HIS morning, between Messrs SIEMSEN & Cors, along the Praya to the Macao Steamer and back through Queen's Road, a Pocket BOOK, containing a \$25 and a 5 Dollar Note, as also a Charter-party of the British barque "Marion." A Reward wil be paid on returning the same to Messrs. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, November 21, 1868.

THE HARBOUR YACHT RACE LLOYD & Co. have on sale "Instanta-I NEOUS PHOTOGRAPHS" of the Races yesterday in five different positions.

62. Queen's Road. Hongkong, November 25, 1868. STORAGE. HE Undersigned are prepared to receive

Piece GOODS on STORAGE in their "First Class" Granite Godowns. R. MACGREGOR & Co. Hongkong, November 24, 1868.

A.LL Persons having claims against the Estate of the late JOHN CLARK, deceased. Acting Assistant Surveyor General, are requested to send in particulars of same on or before the 31st day of December F. I. HAZELAND.

Supreme Court House. Hougkong, November 20, 1868.

OTICE is hereby given, that in compli-ance with the Companies' Ordinance, 1865, an Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Company, situate at No. 39, Queen's intending Purchasers. new arrangement commencing on the Road Victoria, on Wednesday, the Six-Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the pur-Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a pose of confirming all or any Special Resolutions that may be passed at the Meeting

Dated the Twentieth day of Nov., 1868. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers.

the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM"

low rates constantly on hand or baked in Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar

BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pounda Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, rately about 125 tons of Pig Iron FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive the hammer. prompt attention.

L, P. WARD, Hongkong, February 17, 1888.

Auctions.

THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY,

20 Toilet sets complete. 25 casks Allsopp's Beer. 2 cases ea. 1 doz. tins Baked Pears.

14 cases each 1 doz tins Preserved

5 barrels Pork. 30 piculs Cocoanut Oil. 12 dessert Knives. 12 dessert Forks. >35 sets each. 12 table Forks.

12 table Knives. I pair Carving Knife and Fork-35 sets. 50 doz. Lavender Water.

6 gilt frame Mirrors 29 x 44 inch. 25×37 24×35 4 doz. 10-inch Scissors. 4 doz. 9-inch

50 doz. Electro-plated dessert Spoons 25 doz. 15 doz. Forks. 15 doz. densert 45 doz. cards Chrildren's Knives. Forks and Spoons. 104 boxés fancy Soaps.

12 Overland Trunks. TERMS or SALE .- Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

100 gross patent safety Matches

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. dec3 GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY. 4th inst., at Noon,-The following GOODS, namely: An Invoice of Coward's Oilman stores

ncluding :Mustard, Salad Oil, Vinegar, Pickles, Sauces, Capers, Lemon Syrup, Raspberry Vinegar, Jams, Candied Peel, Currents Tapioca. Pearl Barley, Airowroot, Oat-Maccaroni, Yarmouth Bloaters, Turkey Figs, Almonds, Bacon, Cheese,

36 Octagon Clocks, Clock-Springs and

10 kilderkins Porter. A few silicated Carbon Filters. 50 cases Vieux Cognac. 50 doz. Cologne Water.

1 4-oared Racing Boat, 2 casks Pickled Salmon. A few hides English Sole Leather. 20 kegs good red Paint. 100 pieces Wall Paper.

Sundry remaining Stock. (The property of a Firm closing their Business in Hongkong.)

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION. American Steamer

" YUNG HAI AN! THE Undersigned has received instructions from Messrs Russell & Bank. Co., to sell the above steamer "Yund THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE | Hai An" at Public Auction, on

SATURDAY. the Fifth Day of December next, at Noon, (on board)—up to which time she balance. will be open to an examination from

The Steamer is 227 feet long by 30 1st of December. The Charges for Board teenth day of December next, at the hour of feet beam, with 24 feet depth of hold. She was built in Glasgow, of the best Iron, and is as sound as when launched, Her Engines, by Napier, are of 300 horse-power, nominal, and she was fitted last year with two new Boilers of an approved Pattern. She carries, in addi- Australia, America, China and Japan. tion to her coals, 10,000 Piouls dead weight, or 900 Tons measurement Goods, She has on deck, a handsome Saloon, with accommodation for 30 first class Passengers, arranged with every modern convenience, and comfortable Cabins for second class Passengers forward. Her kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared second class Passengers forward. Her to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD between-decks are lofty and well adapted in various forms, to any part of the Co- for the transport of Troops or Native MacEwen & Co., where all orders address-

> Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at The Inventory can be seen and all prompt attention. Fancy BISOUIT and OAKE constantly on hand or baked in other particulars, either on board or at the Office of the Undersigned.

There will also be sold on Board sepa-

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS. And all expenses of transfer to be Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, borne by the purchaser. The steamer in round, square and flat bars. Babbits as she lies in this harbour, with all faults METAL, Muntz Yellow METAL, Copper forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at be at the purchasers' risk on the fall of of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pres-

C. D. WILLIAMS. Hongkong, November 30, 1868. de5 Auctions.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and "DRAKE" will be COLD BY AUGTION D at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on TUESDAY,

the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement). The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power. The following are the articles to be sold with each vessel, viz :-With the " Hardy."

Hull complete. Awnings complete, with Iron Stan- with above named steamers of the standard steamers of the stan

Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet. 4 Oars and Awning. 2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Messrs. MAUDSLAY, Sons and FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 boilers, considerably worn but repairable.

Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, 1 in No. Eccentric Ring, Piston and Rod. Propeller (brass) ... 1 Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... 1 Bilge do. do. Guide blocks, With the " Drake."

Yards Rigg ng * 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

2 Oars. 2 Downton's Pumps. All standing Sails, but square foresail, 4 40 Horse Power high pressure engine Mesers. Penn and Sons, in good work-

The boilers of this vessel have been taken

Spare Gear, Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass) Plumber-block brasses, Propeller (brass), Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, Bilge do. do. Guide block, A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper.

Hongkong, November 27, 1868. feb9

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS, Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

A. Juost, Esq. E. R. BELILIOS, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, VICTOR KRESSER,

Offices of the Corporation. No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

THE Office of the Wanchi Steam Bakery is REMOVED to the Store of Mesura ed "Wanchi Steam Bakery" will receive

L. P. WARD, Proprietor. Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. sure GUAGES. FILES. PACKING and

RÖSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1868, mar10 t



THEOUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. TEAMERS of this line will be despatch

oout same dates, connecting at Yokohams of 469 Tone Register, 11 above named ateamers.

Passengers ticketed through to California.

Militer, having the greatest portion of bear about same dates, connecting at Yokohama Mexico, Central and South America, the cargo engaged, will load here, and Atlantic States, and to England or France, Whampon, and have early despatch for the both via New York and by lines from Pa. above port. Return tickets issued at a reduction of

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line." "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam ship

Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow. Through Lills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire. France.

Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8, per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

Shipping. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOUCHOW, The Steam-ship KWANG TUNG. Captain Pirman will leare for the above ports, on Sunday, the 6th inst., at 8 A, M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1868. FOR LONDON. Via Singapore, Penang and Mauritius.) The Ocean S. S. Co.'s Str.

Ridden, Master, expected from Shanghai about the 4th prozime, will be despatched hence on or about Rate of freight for Oils £4 10/ per ton of

Camphors &c., £4 per ton of 40 feet. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, November 25, 1868.

FOR YOKOHAMA DIRECT. The A 1 Russian steam-Captain AITHEN, will meet with quick dispatch for

the above port For Freight, &c., apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

FOR MADRAS DIRECT. "NA WORTH CASTLE,"
Captain Linklater, will have quick despatch for the above For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, November 28, 1868. FOR NAGASAKI, The A 1 British schooner "CITY OF NIAGARA,"
MITCHELL, Master, having engaged the larger portion of her Cargo, will meet with quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, November 28, 1868. FOR SAIGON. The French barque "BENGALI," Captain Demiaux. will have quick despatch for the above. For Freight or Passage, apply to LAMMERI, ATKINSON & Co.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British ship "LOUISA," Capt. Lansnown, will load here and at Whampon, and have quick despatch for the above port, For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 18, 1868.

Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

The A 1 British ship
"ROSLIN CASTLE,"

JAS. ALEXANDER, Master, of
644 tous Register. For particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, November 21, 1868,

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

Shipping.

FOR SALE, The A 1 North German Brig "GAZELLE" f 196 Tons Register, built in 1865 all of Oak copper-fastened and coppered. She ranges 3/3 L1.1 in Veritas until May 1873. The vessel is in

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

first rate order.

FOR NEW YORK.

For Freight; apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 20, 1868, 1868 FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

The first class French ship -"LA PLATA." JUBIN, Master, of 444 tons register. For particulars, apply to FREDERIO DEGENAER.

Notices to Consignees. MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES

Hongkong, November 2, 1868,

COMPANY. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's S. S. "Imperatrice," are requested to send in their bills of lading for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 3rd instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. WHITEHALL" FROM LONDON, HE above named vessel having arrived in harbour, Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge "of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, November 23, 1868. HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868.

Principal Agént. Hongkong, November 9, 1868. ROSLIN CASTLE," FROM LONDON.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, November 20, 1868.

Notices of Firms ARC. J. H. SCHRODER, is authorised to Weign our Firm per producation, from

Saigon, November 14, 1868. MAR. JOHN ALEXANDER SANDILANDS is Authorized to sign our firm per pro-

SCHWANBECK & THIEL.

R. McGREGOR & Co.

Hongkong, November 12, 1868. TATE have this day established a Branch of our Firm at HIGGO and OSACCA. WAUHTELS GROOS & Co. Nagasaki, September 20, 1868.

NOTICE HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTEB and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisbet OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

NOTICE. FROM and after this date Mr GEORGE F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE. R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co,

COMPANY.

10 % upon the whole amount for the round

Masts complete.

HONGKONG & SBANGHAI BANK-

WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON, JULIUS MENKE, ESC., RICHARD ROWETT, ESQ.

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. Shanghae, DAVID MAGLEAN, ESO. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

Chief Manager.

A Complete assortment of Lowmoor and

all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.

Benares, New.

COTTON.—CALCUTTA.

Bank, 6 months' night,

Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B.,

Gold Bar, 98 touch,

English Sovereigns,

Australian Sovereigns,

Union Dock ...

THERMOMETER-9 A.M.

BAROMETER, 9 A.M.

Self-registered Maximum.

H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 21 p.c.p.

Temperature.

Honorona, 2nd December, 1868.

Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises.

Queen's Road.)

Do. Min. over night.

4 P.M.

Notice.—It is particularly requested that

all communications relating to the general

business of this paper be addressed to the

Proprietor and in no case to individuals by

name. Much delay and inconvenience in

the transaction of business will thereby be

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

address the public on legitimate grounds, but

we do not hold ourselves responsible for the

All communications addressed to this paper

must be accompanied by the name of the

sender, not necessarily for publication, but as

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2, 1868.

"TOLERATION" AND "EQUAL

Amongst the many measures for the

furtherance of mission work in China

pressed upon the attention of our Govern-

ment at home, and of our Representatives

in China, it is somewhat curious to find

that no one seems to have suggested

anything beyond the insistence upon a

"toleration" of Christianity. Now, to-

leration, as we all know, is a word sus-

ceptible of various renderings as to

degree, and according to the country or

people by, or to, whom it is applied. The

Chinese in California, for instance, enjoy

"toleration" in a conversational sense

while held incapable—at least until the

new treaty addendum was signed-of

appearing as witnesses in a Court of law,

or of enjoying the municipal rights held

by all their fellow citizens of European

blood. Protestantism again is "toler-

ated" in Spain, occasional cases of perse,

cution, however, shewing that toleration

does not extend beyond a certain limit.

Within the memory of living men, Roman

Catholics and Jews while similarly "tole-

rated" in England, still laboured under

disabilities which the progress of enlight-

enment has fortunately removed. In fact

the use of the very word "toleration" im-

plies that the thing tolerated is something

inferior. Old dictionaries give the

meaning of the verb as "to suffer to

bear with, to permit, to connive at," each

and all implying a privilege granted

rather than a right held. We do not,

for instance, tolerate another man's pos-

session of a house or other property.

We do "tolerate" any mild outrage

unon conventional custom. Now we

have observed of late on several occa-

sions that this word has been freely used

in regard to missionary matters; and

upon referring to the treaty we find that

while non-official copies head the 8th article

'Toleration of the Christian religion

the official copies use a phrase implying

nothing more. "Teachers or professors

of Christianity to be protected," is the

side-head to the recognised copy. Not

one word is said about equal rights. In

the old days of religious intolerance at

home, all citizens and subjects were

"protected," and this protection, neither

more or less, is just what we have exacted

Now it seems to us that if there is any

way in which missionery effort can be

helped by official interterence—and we

tend to further such effort by every

legitimate means,—the simplest and most

effective would be to insist upon the

insertion of an additional clause declaring

that native Christians laboured under no

disabilities whatever, and possessed equal

rights as regard promotions, official em-

ployment, &c. We know that the pre-

sent treaty is regarded as securing equali-

ty, over and above toleration, and that

not long since a government manifesto

very favorable to Christian missionaries

and converts, appeared from head quar-

ters. But we also know that, as regards

official employment, the supposed rights

of Christians are still a dead letter. Let

from the Chinese.

opinions of our correspondents.

a quarantee of good faith.

Our columns are open to all who wish to

Mexicans,

Gold Leaf,

Discount.

Malwa,

(large sales)

Exchange.

Notices of Firms.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. FARE Undersigned will from this date tran Bact a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS at this port under the firm of C. D. WIL-LIAMS & Co.

C. D. WILLIAMS. Hongkong, November 2, 1868.

NOTICE. MR RYLE HOLME has been admitted IVI a partner in our Firm. CLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. WE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

For Sale.

JUST RECEIVED. SMALL Invoice of Spanish OLIVES A \$5 per dozen bottles.

FRENCH BUTTER, in 6 lb. tins, each G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

For Sale in the Store of the Undersigned. Just landed

Ex STA. ANNA:-DEST SHERRY-Amontillado. Pedro Jimenez. Do. superior.

Muscadine Wine. Sherry, twenty years old. Jamaica Rum.

Superior Manila Coffee. The above Wines are all from Spain and in boxes of 12 Bottles each. All at mode-

F. A. De SOUZA, Gage Street, No. 24.

Hongkong, November 26, 1868. JUST RECEIVED PER "LOUISA. PEVENISH & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE PALE ALE BEER. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

NOTICE. Views of Hongkong, Canton and Ma-Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to business for itself, but the New one, in

In sets of 50 mounted,.....price, \$30. 50 unmounted, ... ,,

FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

Insurances.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. TOTICE is hereby given that the ordin-Nary Meeting of the Shareholders of above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 7th December, 1868, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee together with a statement of accounts to 31st October,

By order of the Committee, -AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, November 7, 1868.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that the Regis-..... ter of Shares of the Company will be closed from the 20th day of November to the 5th of December, 1868, (both days included) during which period no transfer of shares shall be registered.

By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., - General Agente. Hongkong, November 7, 1868.

WITHE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON."

NOTICE. ATOTICE is hereby given that in compliance with the requirements of Section Number Fifty of The Companies Ordinance, 1865," an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Society, No. 12 Praya, on Monday, the Twenty first day December next, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of confirming all or Thir Special Resolutions that may be passed at the Meeting called for the purpose on the Fifth day of December next.

Dated the Thirtieth day of Oct., A.D. 1868. By Order of the Board of Directors. ROBERT WATMORE Secretary. dec2

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON."

NIOTICE is hereby given that, under the Provisions of Article 77 of the Articles of Association of the Society, an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Society's Offices, No. 12 Praya, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of altering the Regulations of the Society by passing certain Special Resolutions numbered from One to Thirteen inclusive, whereby Articles Numbers 25, 59, 71, 76, 77, 79, 120, 129, 139, 140, 145, 147, and 156 of the Society's Articles of Association are proposed to be struck out of and expunged from the Regulations of the said Society and certain other Regulations affecting the Duration, Constitution, Management, and other General Provisions of the Society substituted in licu and exclusion thereof. And Notice is also hereby given that a Copy of the proposed Resolutions can be obtained by any Shareholder on application at the kong, and at any of the open Ports in China Bociety's said Offices in Victoria.

Dated the Thirtieth day of Oct., A.D. 1868. risk. By Order of the Board of Directors. ROBERT WATMORÉ

insurances.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS, in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each.

Consulting Committee: GEORGE F. HEARD, ESQ.

WM. KAYE, ESQ.

R. ROWETT, Esq. S. D. SABSOON, Esq. F. BUXEY, Esq. General Managers, Messrs JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Head Office, No. 39, Queen's Road.

HE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM PANY, which expires by effluxion time in a few months, having proved a highly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareholders to form a permanent Company under the same management and with increased Capital.

It is proposed to register the Company under the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that Insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder will know the extent of his individual liability. The capital proposed to be called up amounts to a large sum, and provision will be made for the creation of an ample Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected. | chi,in a very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest security both to Insurers and Insured, irrespec-

tive of the unpaid Capital. It is intended to auticipate the termination of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since its establishment in May 1866, as exhibited by the following figures:—

The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period of only two years and five months, amount to......\$304,727.72 The losses which have been

naid within the same period have amounted to\$130,081.22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire at Hongkong in Nov. 1867.

The amount now at the Credit of the Working Account, after paying all Expenses and Re-insurances to date.

These figures fully warrant the most sanguine expectations of success, and it is but reasonable to expect that, strengthened with larger Capital, the present undertaking NTOW Publishing, a series of Photographic. cannot fail to prove at least as successful as the former one. The Old Company, cao, Characteristic Groups etc., etc., by the | when it entered the field, had to create a taking over the outstanding risks and counections of the Old Company, will at once receive a very large amount of premium, and enter on a profitable and organized business. Moreover, there is no doubt that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been greatly diminished by the Building Regulations now in force, and by the establishment of a Fire Brigade.

The following are the main features of the New Company: -A first Call of \$100, to be paid upon each share on allotment, and a further Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months; all further Calls to be determined upon at General Meetings of the shareholders. Interest at 12 per cent per annum to be in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital, such Interest to be payable cember. The profits after deducting the said Interest to be applied thus :-20 per cent, pro rata, amongst such of the shareholders as shall have contributed or in-

fluenced business to the Company, and the remainder in forming a Reserve Fund of \$250,000. When such Reserve Fund shall have been accumulated, the payment of Li terest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus:—20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed busiaugmentation of the Reserve Fund until

ness to the Company; 30 per cent. to the it shall reach \$1,000,000, at which figure it is to be permanently maintained; and the remaining 50 per cent. to be distributed by way of dividend amongst the shareholders generally. No shareholder to hold more than 250

The Company to be managed by Genera Managers, with the assistance of a Conaulting Committee.

The Funds of the Company to be deposited in Banks or in Government Securities approved of by the Committee. Over one half of the entire number

hares has already been taken up. The following is the form of application for shares, which should be filled up an signed by the applicant and left with th Jeneral Managers of the Company Hongkong, 23rd November, 1868.

To the General Managers of the "Hongkong Fire Insurance Co... Limited."

 [Address of applicant and date.] I for we hereby request that you will allot shares in the above company, and I [or we] agree to accept such shares, or any less number you may allot to me, [or us] and to pay the First Call of \$100 per share on allotment, and the Second Call of \$100 per share on the Thirtieth day of June next, as well as any sub- | Longing-or Spare Bed Rooms, Furnishsequent Calls that may be made, and to ed or Unfurnished, can be had at the House sign the Deed of Association whenever formerly known as the ORIENTAL HOTEL.

Your obedient servant

The Deed of Association may be inspected at the Office of the General Managers, or at the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the Solicitor of the Company.

HAMBURGH & BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE CO.

HE Undersigned are now authorized to accept Assurance against Fire at Hongto the increased amount of \$50,000 on one

WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1868,

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in-

structions from the Mortgages to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, Noon, on the premises, under the power

of sale, contained in the deed of Mort-The STOCK IN TRADE, Furniture, Fixtures and Good Will of the "Eldo. Inn, situate in Queen's Road,

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. And the property to be at the risk of the

purchasers from the fall of the hammer J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. TIHE Undersigned has received instructions from C. J. EMERY, Esq. Paymaster U.S.N., to sell by Publi Auction, the following condemned PRO VISIONS and Clothing, on

MONDAY. the 7th day of December, 1868, at 12 o'clock, at the U.S. Naval Depot, Wan-

> 2445 pounds Bread. 2 barrels Beef. dried Apples. 6 kegs Butter.

5 barrels Split Peas. Pea Jackets, Round Jackets, Canvas Duck Trowsers, Frecks, Blue Flannel Shirts and Drawers, Blankets, Mattresses. 90 nairs Boots.

81 pairs Calfskin Shoes, &c. TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 2, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. G. barque " MARIE." Captain KLENCKE, will have

prompt despatch for the above | Gloves. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the "Marie." The British ship · "GOLDEN HORN." Captain RICE, will have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

ŘUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1868

-NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO Further applications from Hongkong, or Macao, for Shares in the above Office will be received after the 15th inst. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

ANDREW TTOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT intendence of experienced West End PLUMBER, half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th De- | COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER. No. 1. Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane.

Hongkong, October 28, 1868. COALS. HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal

Steamers on the most reasonable erms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals now affoat in this Harbour or from fresh Welsh and Australian Coals in Store ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, September 22, 1868.

CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE No. 3. QUEEN'S ROAD EAST. ·HOSE in Hongkong, who have become

Christadelphians, by believing the "concerning the Kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ" (Acts viii-12) and being thereafter, immersed in water in obedience to Apostolic Commandment (Acts ii-38.) MEET EVERY SUNDAY,

In the morning at 11 a.m. for the breaking of bread, and for worship, and in the evening at 7 o'clock, for the proclamation of the truth. N.B.—Christadelphian means "Brethren

of Christ," and is adopted by those acknowledging it, to distinguish them from ordinary "Christians" who in the estimation of the former, are departed from the faith of Christ, and turned unto fables (2 Tim. 4-4)

LOOKING FOR HIS APPEARING. Hongkong, November 20, 1868. de20

FAWCETT & Co., TATING & SPIRIT MERCHANTS GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND COMMISSION AGENTS. Windham Street, Hongkong.

N and after the 1st November, 1868. BOARD and LODGING-BOARD or Board and Lodging, ... \$50 per Montli.
For further particulars, apply to
FAWOETT & Co. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. D. SABSOON, Esq.

Hongkong, October 30, 1868. F. DA CUNHA & Co.,

FROM PORTUGAL, GOLDSMITHS AND WATCHMAKERS REPAIRERS OF ORGANS & OTHER

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. 68, Wellington Street, Late Central Police Station. HONGKONG. Terms moderate. A share of patronage of

the liberal community is requested. A lot of fine Organs for sale, Hongkong, November, 16, 1868.

New Advertisements.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY FOR CHINA JAPAN AND THE PHILIPPINES, dc., &c., 1869.

HE Undersigned begs to announce that the first volume of the above work will be published early in January 1869. the 5th day of December, 1868, at | and he requests that the schedules addressed to the different residents be returned as soon as possible and that all foreigners lately arrived in China will kindly send their names for insertion without delay. Orders will be received by and copies can be obtained from Messrs DROWN & Co.

Swatow, Mesers Giles & Co. Amoy, Mesers HEDGE & Co. Foochow, Shanghai Recorder Office Shanghai, Japan Times Office Yokohama, Mesers Case & Co. Nagasaki, F. ALGAR, Esq., Clements Lane, London, and Mesers J. STRATMAN & Co. San Francisco. J. B. MORRIS, Hongkong,

N. B.—All advertisements must be sent in not later than 15th November. Hongkong, October 19, 1868.

WANTED. ONNACE to Amoy for 300 to 400 Tons | November. of Dead Weight. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

NOTICE. OCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable rates, from English, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese or German into Chinese, or from Chinese into English.

The "China Mail" Office.

SAYLE & Co.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. QUEEN'S ROAD,

2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

TESPECTFULLY solicit inspecition of their New GOODS, in the following Departments.

Eavning Dresses — Velvets. RIBBONS. - Fancy Dresses. HOSIERY - Trimmings. HABERDASHERY. - Prints.

MANTLES. — Jackets. BONNETS. - Ladies' Outfits. BABY LINEN.

Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves. HOSIERY. — Tweeds. Tailoring in all its Branches.

PERFUMERY, &c. Household Linens- Blankets. CARPETS.

FURNISHING DRAPERY Etc.,

P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery and Tailoring are under the Super-

Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

GEORGE GLASSE, (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO

LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS) ENGLISH A ND FOREIGN

KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY

CHEMIST VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG. SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFITTED.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867. JOHN THOMPSON & Co., For SHANGHAE. TISPENSING & ANALYTICAL

CHEMISTS

SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS Ships' Medicine Chests supplied and refitted.

"TEETH EXTRACTED."

INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY, 23, Wellington Street,

Hougkong, May 9, 1868. EASTLACK & WINN, Surgeon Dentists,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

Hon. W. Keswick, | - Forbes, Esq. ,, John Dent, H. G. Thomset Enq., R.N. W. MAGAULAY, Esq. to Letters sent by or addressed to them on

Committee of Management. Hon. W. KESWICK, Chairman, W. MAGAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT, G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., R.N.

G. HEARD, Esq.

Nonations of Books, Periodicals, News-D papers, Clothes, &c., will be most hankfully received. A. OVERBURY Superintendent.

Mair & Morrs. General & Commission Agents NAGABAKI,

Hongkong, October 29, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

CLEARED. Evangeline, for Saigon. Catherina, for Yokohama.

PASSENGERS. The following European passengers left this for Canton, yesterday:-Messrs Dr. Messer, Barjoojee, and three

The following European passengers arrived here from Canton to-day :-Messrs D. B. Robertson, Dr. Shillitoe, nd other.

WHAMPOA SHIPPING. DEPARTURE.

Dec. 1, Madura, for Ningpo, General.

CARGOES (From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.) Summary of Imports and Exports, into and from the Canton Custom House, by the Native Craft during the week ended 29th

Imported from Hongkong:-40 bales Almonds. 735 bags Betelnuts. 154 packages Bicho de Mar. 93 bags Copper Cash. 914 bags Chaff. 131 bags Coke.

191 bales Cotton.

153 bales Fish Maws. 419 bags Flour. 222 picule Flint. 100 cases Window Glass. 89 piculs Goat's Hair.

67 packages Hemp. 3540 packages and 535 pieces Nail Rods Bars and Hoops, 598 pigs Lead. 364 packages Medicine. 7774 piculs and 27 bags Peas.

61 bags Pepper.

147 bags dried Persimons. 164 pieces Hardwood Planks. 85 Pigs. 301 packages and 123 piculs Rattans. 973 bags and 81 piculs Rice.

533 piculs Sandalwood. 183 jars Samshoo. 43 packages Sharks Fins. 38 cases Tobacco. 34 bales Vermicelli. 39 bales Wool.

12 pieces Furniture.

23 packages Putchuck. 428 packages Sundries. Exported to Hongkong:— 145 packages Gunny and Straw Bags 204 packages Charcoal. 15 cases Cassia.

46 packages China Ware. 590 pieces Earthen Ware Jars. 42 packages Fire Crackers. 405 pieces and 14 packages Furniture. 7200 jars salted Garlie. 195 Iron Pans.

62 cases Joss Sticks. 58 packages Lacquered-ware. 69 packages dried Lichees. 3527 packages and 1892 rolls Matbags. 84 packages Medicine. 309 packages Paper.

746 pieces and 151 packages Planks. 140 Poles. 115 packages Preserves. 1085 pieces and 42 packages Wood-ware. 4500 bundles Firewood 401 jars and cases Samshoo.

1879 bags and baskets Sugar. 2000 tubs Sugar Candy. 14573 jars, 600 chests and 14 pckgs. Toa. 398 packages Tobacco. 42 cases Umbrellas. 162 packages Vegetables.

70 packages Water Chestnuts. 23 packages red and white Lead. 12 cases Silk Piece Goods, Ribbons, 1767 packages Sundries. Per Madura, cleared for Ningpo :-3900 bales Faus.

39 packages Bamboo Ware.

62 jars Vinegar.

35 cases Tobacco.

64 packages Sundries. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS

MAILS will close:— For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per "KWANG TUNG," on Sunday, the 6th instant, at 7.30 A.M. -

3rd Instant, at 3 p.m. **T** is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkoug or any of the Ports in China and Japan, and

Per "ERL KING," on Thursday, the

reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General

General Post Office.

conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is

Hongkong, July 15, 1868. It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the lat-May last, Superintending, or First-Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard

G. HEARD, Esq. Rev. W. R. BEAGH. enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the W. Lemann, Esq. J. J. Murhay, M. D. Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First-Class now are) to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, are enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and Private Soldiers. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General

their own private affairs as are at present

General Post Office, Hongkong, July 81, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow,-Per Kwang Tung, on Sunday, the 6th inst., at

8.30 A.M. the missionary bodies then urge their For Shanghae. - Per Erl King, representatives to obtain the addition of Thursday, the 3rd Instant, at 4 p.m.

QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1868. OPIUM. -Patna, New,... \$6225 On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs., 2221 a 223 , Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2221 a 223 ,, Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 74 6.50 a 6,60

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Pagan? And secondly, let them rest

assured that right will prevail in the end.

Of course we may be met by the old

question, What right have we to insist

upon more than religious toleration in

China? We can only reply—The same

"right" which now enables missionaries

to rent houses on Chinese territory, to

travel inland and to preach the gospel,

_the "right" which has just been exer-

cised over Tseng-kwo-fan at Nanking.

LOCAL.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

OCEAN RACE. -For Yachts. Prize, the

presented by Douglas Lapraik, Esq.,

nage. Time allowance one minute per

The Yachts entered for the above race

Green Island is given by some to the

"73RD RELIEF FUND."

The fourth entertainment in aid of the

shove was held last night in the Recreation

Room, North Barracks, and in spite of the

most unpropitious weather there were a

great many people present. Private Need-

ham's recitation, which was exceedingly

good, presented quite a new feature to the

programme, and it must be most satisfac-

tory to all concerned in the 'getting up' of

these 'readings' to see men of the regiment

coming forward to do their best in a good

cause, at the risk even of a certain amount

of chaff. Private Needham, however, need

not fret on that subject, for his reading,

for good and all. We have seldom been

better pleased or more agreeably surprised

than we were last night, and we sincerely

hope that the Committee of the 73rd Relief

Fund will soon give another entertainment

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AND "EQUAL measures for the on work in China ation of our Governour Representatives what curious to find to have suggested e insistence upon a stianity. Now, tomow, is a word susrenderings as to g to the country or ${f m}$ it is applied. The for instance, enjoy inversational sense at least until the m was signed—of unicipal rights held citizens of European n again is "toler-

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a separate article declaring in the most | damaged the Bath house to the extent of explicit way the equality of Christians \$100. The damage, it appears, was accidentally occasioned by defendant's boat with all other denominations. They coming in contact with the house in rough would ask nothing more than a right weather. Mr May therefore discharged the which is imposed by international law. case, it being a civil matter. We believe that many Protestant Mis-

A Chinaman, charged with having stolen sionaries might be unwilling to see active from John Mevety a razor, a penknife and some cloth, on Thursday last, was ordered tional power should be placed in the to find security for one month in the sum hands of Roman Catholic priests and of \$25. Defendant was living at the house converts. Such would be undoubtedly

> An extraordinary meeting of Shareholders in the above company was held yesterday afternoon, at the office in Queen's Road, Mr Wm. Keswick occupying the chair.

The Chairman stated that although according to the deed of settlement the pre-Act. It was further intended that the new | argument company should take over the business of the old office, which would at once bring it into possession of an income of \$60,000. The monthly income of the old office had volved had never been decided. been about \$15,000, and sometimes it had I even gone beyond \$16,000; this was a fair | which Mr May had dismissed the applica-DOUGLAS CHALLENGE CUP value \$500. | start, and now that the China Fire Iusuto be won two years successively by a the new company were most favorable. He mated for having conspired with a servant a monstrous proposition laid down any. Romish Missionaries. Yet we are con- would have existed. I went too far, if Yacht or Yachts the bona fide property that on the 31st of December of the current | perfectly satisfied as to the facts of the case | was sure it was unconstitutional and illegal | ledge as an impartial observer, what he | back to me during the last two years; but be from Hongkong Harbour to Macao | year, the present company would be able to as laid in the information before him; and for the Magistrates to be under the power is compelled to ignore as a Missionary. fortune is a woman, she will change; and and back. Schooners to sail as Cut- divide \$500 per share, and in addition a the only difficulty which presented itself to of the Executive. ters, deducting one-third of their ton- return of about 15 per cent.

Mr George Heard then proposed, second ed by Mr Berwick, the following resolution: "That on the Thirty-first day of December. were started at about seven o'clock this one thousand Eight hundred and sixtymorning, in a very light breeze. It appears | eight, the Company shall cease to take risks that the Wave moved off first; but the and issue Policies, and, as provided by credit of being foremost when nearing | Clause Eighteen of the Articles of Association, shall stand dissolved, save for the purpose of winding up the affairs and busiwere the three likely to dispute first ness thereof, and that such winding up place so long as they were seen; and as shall commence from the said Thirty-first the wind still necessitates beating, it is day of December, One thousand Eight most probable that the Scotia may have hundred and sixty-eight; and as soon lost way as far as Macao. To-morrow thereafter as the business and circummorning will throw light on the real stances of the Company shall enable the General Managers so to do, all the then outstanding risks in the Company, shall be re-insured by the Liquidators in one or more of the public Fire Insurance Companies, having an Office or Offices in Hongkong." This resolution was unanimously

the said winding up of the said Society, shall be conducted and carried out by the General Managers, who for such purposes shall be, and they are hereby, appointed the Liquidators of the Company. Mr Pyke seconded the resolution, which was thereupon unanimously agreed to.

The third resolution proposed by Ma and the little impromptu speech which | Heard, and seconded by Mr Sassoon, was preceded his portion in the entertainment | as follows :-- "That out of the accumulated was a very great success, and wonderfully inco e of the Company, a dividend of well received: Mr Harrison's "Il Balen" | Three hundred Dellars per Share, be demay be considered quite a chef d'œuvre, for | clared to be payable to the Shareholders it was admirably rendered, and enthusiasti- and that such dividend be distributed and cally encored. The music of 'Per me ora | paid immediately upon this Resolution befatale? by some mistake was not forthcom- ing confirmed, as provided by the Coming, so in answer to repeated calls from all panies' Ordinance, 1805. And that a final parts of the House he sang a pretty Eng- dividend be distributed and paid as soon lish Ballad. His dress was a great success | thereafter as the business and circumstances and he looked the character of Count di of the Company shall enable the Liquida-Luna to the letter. We are in great hopes | fors so to do."

of having an opportunity afforded us of This was unanimpusly carried, and there hearing that gentleman's splendid voice, being no further business, the meeting seonce more at any rate, before he leaves us | parated.—Precs.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

(From the "Investors' Guardian" of Oct. 10.) The business of this bank continues its opportunity of passing as pleasant an hour steady progress. Having been admirably well steered through those rocks and shoals LEON BORRBON, formerly proprietor of the of a financial crisis which have beset its Argus Hotel, dropped down and died very | whole career, it presents this half-year to suddenly last night, about eight o'clock, its shareholders an undisturbed dividend o while on a visit to a friend resident in 12 per cent, per annum, with an increased profit where loss might have been reason to have been the cause of death: and as the ably expected.

evidence of qualified medical attendance was We will take figures with which the report parison of balance sheets only can work out, At the fifth half-yearly meeting, February 14th 1868 (at Hongkong) the amount car-

> was enlarged to \$70,674. through the roughest and most difficult other words, an absolute clear profit kept in hand-of \$500,000, on a paid up capital

of \$3,000,000 only. There is nothing like this in banking. history in the same space of time, except the large business done, the great profit realized, and the important position achieved. by the London and Westminster Bank, on a Capital almost nominal when compared with the amount of its deposits, dividends,

and transactions. The courage as well as prudence with which this company conducted their operations during the early part of 1867, have for them a favourable consideration from the Indian Government. Their Chinese

of Eastern trade, we regard their business Mr Hayllar next addressed the Court, on religious dogmas carefully justilled in gong, through great counties where we have appointed a committee (with power to add as but just commoneing, and their profits as and endeavored, by citing several cases to them. They became Christians with no likely to be aggraudised to a degree which | regarding Friendly Societies, to show that, will surprise the cold calculations of the in order to come under the privileged pro- idolater who has been brought up in ido- eight millions. No Indian viceroy can look solutions." that the smount of deposits and notes in the warrant was asked must confine his circulation has increased by half a million dishonesty to acts which come under his of dollars-one-seventh-in the last half. rightful duty as a partner. When a partner year, having previously risen upwards of dealt with the property of the partnership

SUPREME COURT (Before the Hon. the CHIEF JUSTICE) Dec. 2, 1868.

THE CHINA MAIL.

QUEEN on the prosecution of Nowrojee NUSSERWANJEE versus NOWROJEE PES-TONJEE and ARUNG. CROWN SIDE. Mr Pollard, Q.o., with Mr Hayllar, appeared to move for a rule nisi, to call upon | not; and upon that I have based my argu- will thus be seen to lie partly against the | Emperor to the Poles at Fulda, with the the Crown to show cause why a mandamus ment.] The other cases were those apply- system adopted, and partly against certain object of persuading them to abandon their should not issue to compel the Police Ma- ing to Friendly Societies. There were two members of the Missionary body. For project of returning to their own country,

Pestonjee of certain mouies; one of the said persons having left the Colony for India. The Acting Attorney General appeared to watch the argument and assist the Court on behalf of the Crown; as his Lordship intimated that he would not decide so importafter the 1st of next January, the new office | been amended by the specific title being | cant. to be registered under the Limited Liability | erased, Mr Pollard addressed himself to the

tion for a warrant in the present case was. he (the A. G.) was placed. that such technical objections should be side. taken, contrary to the spirit upon which Mr May had put the case. He wished to look upon the application in the broad sense, and upon the legal difficulty under which the Magistrate labored.

His Lordship replied that such care was absolutely necessary to be taken in crimina matters; he remembered with great sorrow what had occurred at that bar only a fortnight ago, when the Kowloong prisoners were discharged. And the man was absent work have fallen in the estimation of the foreigners in the Far East.

Mr Pollard, however, again reminded hi Mr Geo. Heard next proposed :- "That | Lordship of the fact that the only doubt on the question before the Magistrate was could be convicted of conspiracy, and that no partner even had any exempting privilege, so soon as he made an agreement with any other person to do an illegal eact. partuer could become liable to be dealt with for conspiracy as thus defined—agrees ing in concert with another to injure or prejudice a partner in the same firm-al though he could not be proceeded against individually for any individual act of dishonesty in reference to the partnership monies. The learned Q.C. having remarked that the person who agreed to conspire with the fugitive partner in the present case had gone to the mainland of China, and could as a right under treaty.

His Lordship remarked that he was very much surprised at that, and was unaware to clothe with a certain amount of romance what Calvinism is to Christianity, the Mr Pollard assured his Lordship that

such was the fact, and that, under treaty; the extradition was all on our side. It was one of the anomalies of the treaty. wrong, like a great many other things.

two million of dollars in the year preceding, as an outsider would who had no interest to be the lever which is to overthrow the paring for the invasion of Abyssinia,

therein, he was not acting in his proper | impure forms of faith under which China is | capacity as a partner, and therefore was groaning. In this utterance of Mr Syle's

gistrate (Mr May) to grant a warrant for ways of obtaining a remedy here—threat the system we imagine no excuse can and to go with him to France instead. We the apprehension of certain persons charged of the law and civil process. His Lordship be offered, but we do not forget give this report in condensed form. with conspiracy to defraud Mr Nowrojee also remarked upon the long time which that in spite of that system the Napoleou first ordered all the French ofhad elapsed between the commission of the friends of Protestant Mission enterprise ficers, except the Dukes of Neufchatel and offence and the present application.

just been discovered.

The Court then rose.

MISSIONALIES IN CHINA.

(Suv. Court & Consular Gazette, Nov. 14th.)

It is an unfortunate tendency of the h

limited a series of observations. To this we are disposed to attribute much of the contempt into which Missionaries and Mission foreign residents in China. It is humiliating | temporary observes:____ to have to confess that amongst the men re-Christianity against the hosts of heathendom | ligious war, a war of Mohammedans alone ous than that which fortune promises them | fanatical as Mecca, and sweeping to the come responsible heads of families and res- counties of the most fertile country in the pected members of society. Perhaps they world, a stream of Mohammedan pro have some shadowy anticipation of a mar- pagandism has for a generation not therefore be demanded to be given up tyr's crown, not sufficiently well defined to gathering strength and volume.

the idea of joining the Mission to China. faithful of these districts send out swarms ny a Romish Apostle may await them; for converts, offering to all the lower his face, rode away amid loud cries of sympathising but ignorant friends may at castes of the population a place in "Vive l'Empereur!" question, as it appeared to him, of public so-called conversions to Protestantism in questioned whether the Court had a Crown | character of the Chinese mind. The Je-The growing credit and prosperity of the concerning the fact that the applicant was they had saved from death by exposure, Their earliest ideas of morals were based

can point to the names of Morrison, Vicenza, to leave him. He then addressed

THE MAHOMETANS OF THE EAST on the war in North West India.

in the hands of the Jesuits.

Throughout the continent, in the far be found some who have evidently mistaken | the centres of our power, as in the great to the point of criminality. He then pro- their vocation, whose language, whose bear- cities of the North, where it seems to be so ing, whose literary composition are utterly vigorous, the Mussulman population of unworthy of the clerical garb which their India is more united, better organized, and owners have hastily assumed, whose talents | more inimical to our rule than the Hindoo. ought justly to have been devoted to the Men who know the Madras Presidency presenting themselves as champions of there, whenever it occurs, will be a rebring the cause they have espoused into directed mainly to the extermination of the disgrace. We do not blame the men them- Infidel; and a danger almost as serious selves. They are probably led away by the exists in Eastern Bengal. Commencing to hope of obtaining a livelihood less precari- the North at Patna, a city almost as at home, they desire to marry and to be- south-east through the richest and quietest be a source of dread, but still depicted with with ideas like those of the Wahabees, sufficient distinctness on their imaginations | doctrines which are to Mohammedanism | The fiery chariot which has carred up ma- of missionaries, burning with zeal, eager

any rate be led to believe so, and the heaven and social rank on earth. Upon learned Q. C. continued his argument. Ac- parting of home ties accompanied by all the this latter point the Mohammedans, cording to the present state of the law, no accessories which attended the depart especially in India, have never swerved. partner could be prosecuted criminally for ture of Paul from Miletus, is the very The most despised of Hindoo outcasts, stealing partnership movies; but the mo- luxury of grief which few that have witness- a wretch regarded by all around him ment he even talked with another with the ed would willingly forego. It is the Society as a Cretan was once regarded by Savoyards, place at Lloyd's Committee-room, to conpurpose of injuring or prejudicing his part- through which the widow's mite is appro- a man whose very shadow pollutes his neigh- sider the relative position of Underwriters ner, then he laid himself open to a charge priated to the support of such people, that bour, has only to repeat the creed and unland Merchants in reference to the case of of conspiracy. A partner could walk off is the proper object of blame. Under the dergo circumcision and he is the equal of "Dickinson v. Jardine," recently decided with all the money without question; but pretext of extending the dominion of Christ- the highest, one of the great brotherhood, in the Court of Common Pleas. As the so soon as he concerted, then his privilege lianity, an object which, whether judiciously worthy, if he can win has way, to marry proceedings extended to a considerable of protection ceased. It was clear enough or injudiciously sought, is sure to obtain the Nuwab's daughter, worthy, meanwhile, length, and being a subject of much imthat a wife could not prosecute her husband sympathy amongst a certain class at home, to be fought for, and assisted at every turn portance to our readers, we reserve the criminally for stealing; but there were no the purses of many who can ill afford even by a community for which every Hindoo in publication of a detailed report for our next decisions to show that a wife could not be the necessaries of life are lightened "for his heart feels the deference inspired by the impression. The chair was taken by Mr does not supply us, and do that justice to proceeded against for having conscience aske." We believe the office of supremacy of six hundred years. While Goschen, M.P., and the following resoluanother to injure or prejudice her husband. a Missionary to be a high and holy one, and the Europeans in India will not employ tious were agreed to :-Wife and husband not being partners in this for that very reason we desire to see it con- Christians because it is "so inconvenient," | "1. That, in the opinion of this meeting, sense, the case of partnership was still ferred on none but those fitted by mental the Mussulmans treat their converts as re- it is not desirable that the responsibility of stronger; and there was no decision to show endowments and scholarly training to fulfil claimed children, have, for instance, in collecting General Average from the conried to the reserve fund was \$125,000 and that a partner conspiring against a co-part the duties attached to it. Were it likely to Dacca constantly protected them from the tributories to the same should fall upon the ner could not be criminally proceeded be of any use we would suggest that the zemindars by the sword. No wonder their Underwriter. whereas at the sixth half-yearly meeting against. And even the other point—that home Societies, instead of basing their faith spreads among Pagabs, who it must 2. That it is therefore advisable that on June 30th (also held at Hongkong), now individual partners robbing partnership choice of candidates upon professed religion to be forgotten, hold all creeds to be equalification policies of assurance should be so framed. monies from other partners, unaided by ious zeal alone, should diligently enquire by true, till English governors have been that in case of any less to the subject matcarried to the reserve fund, but the sum | conspiracy—was not conclusively settled | into the mental capacity of their protegés, | known to affirm that Islam gains more in | ter of insurance by a General Average act, upon a very satisfactory basis, and would and subject them to such a course of prelimi- India than it loses throughout the world, the claim upon the other contributing inmost likely be reversed on appeal to the nary instruction and examination as would and to predict that Bengal would become terests be recovered by the assured in Ge-Nothing cash evidence the satisfactory higher tribunals. The question resolved not only fit them for their proposed work, Monotheist before it became Christian, neral Average as heretofore. condition of the company more completely itself into this, that any partner (one of six but severely test that fitness. It has been The converts eat meat, they catch the half "3. That, in order to carry out the than the fact, that after paying such ex- or one of five) could conspire with the com- well remarked that "an earnest Christian sullen, half heroic spirit of which no Mus- decision of Pickinson v. Jardine, and at cellent dividends, it has been enable to pradore to take away all the money, could who, standing at the shop-board has been sulman is ever absolutely devoid, they be- the same time to preserve the legitimate rights remove to India with it, while the other dazzled by the prestige of rising by a sud- come organized by the strong cohesion f of the Underwriter, it is advisable to insert went to Peking; and then could walk our den step to the rank of a shepherd over the an aggressive yet outnumbered, creed, and a clause in all goods and freight policies to period that has ever occured in banking streets and snap his fingers at all proceedings. flock of Christ, will not necessarily make a a village which the landlord can to-day tax the effect that in cases of loss to the subject His Lordship admitted that it was very good Missionary." Unfortunately it is from a misericorde to-morrow he dare not enter matter of insurance by a General Average men who are thus pushed into the mission for his life. Peasant rights are enforced by act, the Underwriters thereon could pay the The learned Q.C. said that he did not see, field that we are most prone to judge of the Ferazees in Bengal as by Orangemen in difference between any amount payable by as there were no decisions on the point, entire Missionary class. The failure of the Ulster. These men and their allies the the other contributory interests and the inthat such must be the case. Conspiracy, Protestant Missions has for these reasons Mohammedans who though not so fanatical sured value, except in those cases where as it was laid down, could be charged been too exclusively attributed by some look on them with sympathy, must now the Underwriter is, by terms of the policy against any person whatsoever. There were to the inefficiency of the agents employ number at least half a million of adult and the events which have happened, free no restrictions upon it as upon other crimes ed, but this is manifestly unjust. We males, and if they rose would tax the im- from any claim for Particular Average. and no allowance was made for relative have grave doubts on other grounds as perial power to the uttermost; and for a position. But in the present case it was a to the reality of a large proportion of the year at least, with their control of the ing of the meeting, the following clause be opium grounds and the wealthiest districts | recommended for insertion in all policies : policy and of commercial interest, to have its various forms. These doubts are based of the East, the sources of all surplus re- -- Should the property hereby insured be partly upon our experience of native Chris. venue, would paralyze the Indian Trea- injured or destroyed by a General Average His Lordship remarked that it had been tians and partly upon the innately irreligious sury. Owing to causes even yet scarcely act, any claim the assured is entitled to understood, a connection has long existed make in respect thereof, by way of Parside; and if such was the case, in what suits, who have been in every sense the between them and the Mussulmans of the ticular Average or total loss, shall be subject not only ensured them confidence and sup- way could the present applicant appear to most successful workers under the great Suleiman, and shortly after the Mutiny the to the deduction of the sum payable to the port as well in India and in China amongst ask for a mandamus as against a public plan of evangelising China, honestly con- Government obtained,—partly, we believe, assured by the other contributory interests that they have made few "converts," if through intercepted correspondence, partly of ship, freight, and cargo." Mr Pollard replied that there was a legal any, but they point with just triumph to remedy for every wrong, and therefore they entire communities in which Christianity no doubt of a direct and strict relation. It it is desirable that immediate steps should business is extending as rapidly as the dis- had come before the Court in the only way has been hereditary for generations. The was clear to any man who studied the evi- be taken to obtain an Act of Parliament for cretion of the directors will permit it, and which was open to them. It had been seeds which have borne this fruit were sown dence in what were called the "treason the purpose of more clearly defining and rethe company has found in the extension of proved, however, that the Court had a by the Christian fathers who first arrived trials" of Patna, that under favourable gulating the duty of the Shipowners to colin China, and the soil they selected was the | circumstances, such as a rumoured defeat | lect General Average from the contribu-The Judge made a further observation as yet untainted minds of children whom of the British, or a war with Afghanistan, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpo- an interested party; to which the learned To these children Christianity was exactly or three hillmen, notably the Akhoond of M.P., Mr William Simpson, Mr Tozer, ration can be estimated from the figures of Q. C. replied that he had a right as such to what it is to a European or American child. Swat, could throw Behar into revolt, and Mr Dale, Mr Daniell, Mr Norwood, Mr more credit to themselves than is due to an

latry. And herein we think lay the strong unmoved at such possibilities, no Indian point of r Syle's otherwise disappointing statesman will on such a subject run the paper read before the Meeting of the Mis-smallest risk, and we feel no surprise that sionary Association on Wednesday evening. Sir John Lawrence prepared for an attack | your hat. Schools must be fostered—they are destined, on the Black Mountain as if he were pre-

NAPOLEON AND THE POLES The Dziennik Poznanski has just publish; subject to criminal proceedings. It was no | we see an acknowledgment of one of the | ed a Polish translation of a French manupart of the partner's duty in this case to imperfections of the system at present in script, dated "Warsaw, March 15 1814." conspire with the compradore to defraud. force, and we gladly acknowledge the obli- describing, from personal observation, the His Lordship observed that he had got gation under which he has thus placed all doings of the Poles of Napoleon's army afno case throwing light on any instance of | those who are anxious to see Christianity | ter Poniatowski's death. The most interconspiracy by a partner; and he believed dominant in the far East. Our objections esting part of this document is a full report there was no case. [Mr Pollard: I believe to the plan adopted by Protestant Societies of a very characteristic speech made by the

Mr Pollard observed that it had only Medhurst, Legge, Bridgeman, Edkins, the assembled Poles as follows:-- Your Muirhead and Williamson. To these men leader has just told me that you wish to re-His Lordship said that the Attorney Ge- and to such as these we are indebted for turn to your country. You are brave men, neral was placed in a most anomalous posi- nine-tenths of our knowledge of China and | you have done your duty to me, and I have sent company did not expire until May, ant a question off-hand, but would prefer | tion, having been consulted by Mr May as | the Chinese. But the work that they have | nothing more to require of you, as a citizen 1869, still it had very generally been deem- to have a return of the writ previous to officer of the Crown, and having to file a done is a preparatory work. They have of Europe (comme homme Européen), to stay ed advisable by the shareholders to establish | making the rule absolute. The affidavit | bill (if necessary) upon the result of the | broken the ground for future explorers. | with me. The Duchy of Warsaw is the the office on a permanent basis, on and upon which the application was based having present argument, if favorable to the appli- They have placed weapons in the hands of fruit of my blood, and I will not abandon those who are destined to assault heathenism it. Is it the want of orders from your king The Attorney General said that, as the in its strongholds, or who are to create a that disturbs you? He remains at Leipzig law was constituted in Hongkong, the At- generation of Chinese Protestants. But by my wish. He wanted to go with me. The Attorney General remarked that it | torney General (arguing upon dry law) had | there is yet another point in which we | but if I had taken him the Saxons would had been deemed advisable to bring the power to go up to the Magistracy any day should wish to see the working of Protestant have made the Duke of Weimar their king. matter before the Court, as the point in- and forbid Mr May going on in any case. Missions modified. In China we can surely Besides, he is only your temporary sove-This had never been done; but it was not afford to disregard minor differences of faith, reign; I knew he was not the man for you. Mr Pollard said that the ground upon withstanding the fact; and his learned and to unite all denominations of Christians I wished to make Poland a kingdom, and I friend would recognise the position in which | under one comprehensive creed. Mr Syle's | obtained the consent of Austria by treaty paper, to which we have already alluded, to her ceding Galicia. If I had remained rance Office was closed, the prospects for that a partner of a firm could not be crimi- Mr Pollard said that he never heard such was disfigured by harsh comments on the between Witebsk and Smolensk, Poland would here also mention that it was hoped of the firm to defraud. The Magistrate was where, far less in a Court of Justice. He vinced that Mr Syle would readily acknow- made mistakes. Fortune has turned her The Jesuit Missions are fruitful sources of | who knows | perhaps your unfucky star drew the Bench was as to the position of the His Lordship remarked that he certainly good wherever they are established. Their mine after it. But why should you lose person sought to be charged making any wished so important a point to be fully ar- agents are men of exemplary piety and confidence in me? On the 16th I won a such charge invalid. The loarned Q C. gued, and he hoped that the learned Attor. devotion. Their influence is deservedly battle, on the 18th I did not lose one, on then cited a number of cases to show that. ney General would give him his assistance. great, and in the interests of that only true | the 19th I retired. Some sergeant blew up when a warrant was refused by a Magistrate | He would grant the rule at present, because | form of civilisation—the form which is a bridge too soon, and I lost 12,000 men upon a point of law, and not upon a quest the Attorney General had not had time to based upon Christianity—we trust to see it in consequence. But even if I had lost the tion of fact—i.e., by a mistake in law—the see the affidavit, and could not answer it in extended. We shall gladly welcome the day battle, what is one defeat? The Germans Court could interfere and grant a man- consequence; but he would grant the rule | which witnesses Protestants and Catholics | have stopped me this time, but I shall redamus. After some discussion on technical with the express condition that it be not fighting under a common banner, or if that turn. I only wish they would burn two or points, the learned Q. C. expressed surprise | taken as an expression of opinion on either | day should never arrive, we still look for | three towns in France for me; such an ward to the time when our Protestant Mis- event would bring me a million of soldiers. sionaries shall have adopted the system I would then pursue them with my stanwhich has proved so eminently successful dards as far as the Vistula. You are disturbed because Poniatowski is not with you. He is not dead, as you think; he is a prisoner : they say he has disguised himself. He knows Russia, and will return. You man mind to generalise too rapidly, and to THE Spectator of Oct. 17, has an article would not have been in your present condi-It tion if your Government had been more contains the following remarks on a point | pliant. Your Finance Minister did some that possesses some, special interest for stupid things, the Czartoryskis opposed me, and your militia was a failure. There are only 2,000 of you, so that from a military point of view you are of no assistance to presenting Missionary Societies there are to depths of the South, a thousand miles from your own interests to stay with me. I will send you into the interior of France, and give you horses and pay. I am determined not to cease making war so long as my people shall require it. My fortune must improve, unless, indeed, I meet with an early acquirement of some handicraft, and who by | well, believe that the great insurrection | think of you. Why did I not make peace at Dresden? Because I did not want to give up the Duchy of Warsaw. That duchy exists under the treaty of Tilsit, to which? still hold, and you may depend upon it I shall keep with you to the last. In any case I will look after each of you individually if you follow me. If you leave me l cannot protect you, and you will be treated as prisoners. What say you?" The Emperor then cast a penetrating glance at the faces round him, and finding that the Poles still hesitated, repeated some of the arguments he had used. At last General Toliuski exclaimed, "Sir, we will go with you everywhere." These words were repeated by most of the soldiers present, and Napo-

> GENERAL AVERAGE. (Mitchell's Maritime Register.)

On Thursday Oct. 15, a meeting took

tories and to distribute the same.

not a European soldier, but whence we to their number) to consider the means of derive, opium included, a revenue of nearly giving practical effect to the foregoing re-

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15.—If an Order be not paid before the

was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. It a wrong payment, however, he made owing the Post Office, the Postmaster General of marked to be forwarded by Private Ship, the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless | bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. the advice has been previously received. rity against fraud, and for the better work- for their decision. ing of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders | Life. are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case, may be, will consider the propriety of incrossing the Commission, and will exercise Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents the power of wholly suspending for a time under 4 oz.; 28 cents above for and not the issue of Money Orders.

By Command F. W. MITCHELL L'ostmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

HAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking ment thereof will be granted by the pay-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above By order of the Board of Directors,

GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary. Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED THE above Dock has been in full working

nd Yokohama. water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, or on Goods Stored therein.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides DOI GLAS LAPR For further particulars as to the price of

T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Sil-In connection with the above is the ANGE at current rates. powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matson (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can ob-

tain them at moderate rates, on application JOHN C. SKEY. Manager,

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

THE Company respectfully call the at-L tention of Ship Owners, Consignces and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DUCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

At Hongkong the Company have the Above 1 mouth and only Dock in the harbour,—a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.

Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery TINTIL further notice the following An-

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

borth them, at reasonable rates. For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works. Company's Office, H.kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868

Insurances

THE CHINA MAIL.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. IME Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre-AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

> ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong.

Medical Referee, - J. Ivon Murray, Esq., M.D. HE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.

For further particulars, forms of proposals. &c., apply to AÛĞUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

ONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. I HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL.—Two MILLIONS STERLING: THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-18.—Additional Rules for greater secu- ceived, and transmitted to the Directors

> If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

> > Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE $\mathbf{COMPANY}$ HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant

Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868. - 27 jan-69 LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. NOTICE TROM and after this date the following Insurances, viz:-

Pates will be charged on short period Not exceeding } dof the Annual Rate. one month... Above 1 month and not exceeding three months,....

Above 3 m'ths

ceeding six (4 " Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 14, 1868. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBI

INSURANCE COMPANIES. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this order for the last four years. Length | Port, are prepared to grant Policies against 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at usual designation of such firm, such as | ver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., | the Ports of Tamsus and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding I month, \(\frac{1}{2}\) of the annual rate not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. **IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE** COMPANY.

Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate.

not exceeding 6,... 2

-nual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz :---Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their ·Contents. , ½ per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

. 7 per cent. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. . 1 per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

Contents. .

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Conper cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their 👔 per cent Contents. per annum. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. . 1 per cent

per annum.

GILMAN & Co.. Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. DROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:— Not exceeding one \ \ \frac{1}{4} of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and

not exceeding $3 > \frac{1}{2}$ months. Lbove 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months. Above 6 months, . the full Annual rate. GILMAN & Co..

Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868, NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

Agents, North British and Mercantile

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTAPLISHED 1809,

CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

F HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents-for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant neurances at current rates. HULLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent.

Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. bove 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3 the full annual rate. Above 6 months HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed A Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. IME following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, per cent. Three months. Six months. . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE. FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short-Period Insurances, viz:---Not exceeding } for the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three (? Above 3 m'the and not excesding six (4 2) months, Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate.

General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. | Not exceeding One } Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. FINHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

or on Goods stored therein,

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Insurances.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

NOTICE. If ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Not exceeding) of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month

and not ceeding three months..... Above 3 m tha and not exmonths.....

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

*HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in 1 future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 4 do. Above 3 months and not exceeding $6, \dots, \frac{3}{4}$ do.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Above 6 months...... the full annual rate.

SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hougkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

NOTICE.

ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000. HEi Undersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Company for

Hongkong and Canton are prepared grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(LIFE DEPARTMENT.) £2 perCent per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on future for short period Insurances, all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the

settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which

will be deducted during a visit to or a per mament resident in Europe :—		
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N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. future for short period Insurances, viz:---Above One Month and not exceeding > } per cont. Three Months, Above Three Months) and not exceeding } # per cent. Six Months,

Above Six Months,

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

The full Annual Rate

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE. IF HE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board.

ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on

\$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

Goods stored therein - in Hongkong,

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th Octoher last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium. under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE

RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-FECTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. For Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, be ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their

follows, until further notice, viz. :-

Contents. per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses (simi larly situated) and their Contents, 🕯 per cent.

First Class $\it China\ House$ and their Contents. 1½ per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

ANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per A cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September,

Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, September 8, 1868. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Poli-

cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. IME Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEARISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to

the amount o premium paid by each po-RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. MHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

LUSSELL & Co.

RAYNAL & Co.

SAMARAN 3 SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Macao for the above named

Company are prepared to grant Policies

covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

Macao, August 4, 1866. DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual Hongkong, August 1866.

NOTICE,

L'ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perico Insurances:— 🦠 Not exceeding one month, l of the Annual rate. Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, Above 3 months. and not exceed.

> the full annual rate. TURNER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1808,

ing 6 months,....

Above 6 months,...

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